

SENATE RESOLUTION 93
By Kurita

A RESOLUTION to recognize Nathaniel Wayne Carr, 2000
Salutatorian of Pleasant View Christian School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those persons who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Nathan Carr is one such exceptional student who was recently named salutatorian of the 2000 graduating class at Pleasant View Christian School where he has been a student for 13 years; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and unyielding commitment of time and talent, Nathan Carr has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Nathan has earned an exemplary grade point average, while maintaining a rigorous schedule of extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, Nathan Carr's astute leadership abilities and dedication to the school have been evident throughout his high school years; he served with great probity as class President

during his freshman, sophomore, and junior years, and has served as Student Body President and President of the Student Council during this his senior year; and

WHEREAS, a stellar athlete, Nathan has demonstrated his prowess on the basketball court; he was the Captain of the Junior Varsity Basketball Team as a freshman, Co-Captain of the Varsity Basketball Team during his junior year, and now serves as Captain of the team; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his school commitments, Nathan shares his time and talent with children; he enjoys teaching children about sports and the importance of good sportsmanship; he coaches youth soccer at the YMCA and also referees in each sport offered by the YMCA; and

WHEREAS, a devout and valued member of his church, Nathan is an active member of the youth group; and

WHEREAS, Nathan's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, the numerous accolades and honors he has received include membership in the National Honor Society during all four years of high school, and inclusion in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*; and

WHEREAS, equally gifted as a scholar and athlete, Nathan was named Most Valuable Player of the Varsity Basketball Team during his senior year, while also making the Dean's List; and

WHEREAS, Nathan's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his family, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Nathan's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby commend and honor 2000 Pleasant View Christian School Salutatorian, Nathaniel Wayne Carr, on his impressive academic achievement, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.